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POLICE FORCE,
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Sir, Commencing from yesterday pedestrians entering Chinese territory from Frenchtown after 9 p.m. are searched. General Yang received telegraphic instructions yesterday instructing him to dispatch nine hundred troops to Nanking. On receipt of the telegram Generals Yang and Lu had a consultation as a result of which they wired a reply to Peking saying that they could not possibly spare so many men. A further telegram was received from Peking in answer to this ordering them to send as many men as they could spare.

Yesterday afternoon a cablegram was received in Shanghai for Tang Shao Yi and Wu Ting Fang from the Chinese merchants in California. The cablegram which was addressed to the newspaper guild requested the gentlemen named not to act as peacemakers between the Monarchist and Republican parties.

A native of Ningpo was arrested in Tsong Woo Liou teashop in the City on 10th inst for using disrespectful language when speaking of Yuan Shih Kai. The prisoner who was about forty years old and appeared to belong to shop keeping class was taken direct to the Arsenal.

Your Obedient Servant,

Wm. W. W. W. W.

Chief Detective Inspector.

Captain Superintendent of Police.

*Delivered to Mr. W. W. W. W. 11
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